

REMARKS

Applicant respectfully submits that no new matter has been added by this amendment. If the Examiner has any questions or comments, Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner contact Marina Portnova at (408) 720-8300.

Deposit Account Authorization

Authorization is hereby given to charge our Deposit Account No. 02-2666 for any charges that may be due. Furthermore, if an extension is required, then Applicant hereby requests such extension.

Respectfully submitted,

BLAKELY, SOKOLOFF, TAYLOR
& ZAFMAN LLP



Dated: February 12, 2004

Marina Portnova
Attorney for Applicant
Registration No. 45,750

Customer No. 008791
12400 Wilshire Boulevard
Seventh Floor
Los Angeles, CA 90025-1026
(408) 720-8300